

ANNUAL CRIME REPORT



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The Shreveport Police Department has worked hard to keep crime at bay in the city. Violent and property crimes combined in 2004 were down 1 percent from 2003 - crimes which have decreased 17 percent since 1997.

Policing in Shreveport received a high-tech twist in 2004 with the department purchasing more than 300 Taser electronic devices. Taser is a less-lethal weapon designed to reduce the number of officer and citizen injuries in forcible arrest situations.

Also in 2004, the department received a \$4 million grant to improve public safety response and communication. As a result of this award, 165 mobile police radios will be installed in patrol cars. In addition to this equipment, the grant will provide the basic infrastructure at 911 for members of the department to communicate via laptop computer with other Caddo Parish public safety agencies.

Shreveport City Council authorized the funding of an additional 20 officers to be hired in 2005. This action was the result of a patrol staffing study. The study recommended the department add 56 officers to allow officers more time to proactively police the city.

On Oct. 13, 2004, Shreveport celebrated the opening of the new City Jail, which was completed ahead of schedule and within the \$8 million budget voters had authorized in a bond proposal. The state-of-the-art facility has the ability to house up to 250 inmates.



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CITY OF SHREVEPORT AT A GLANCE



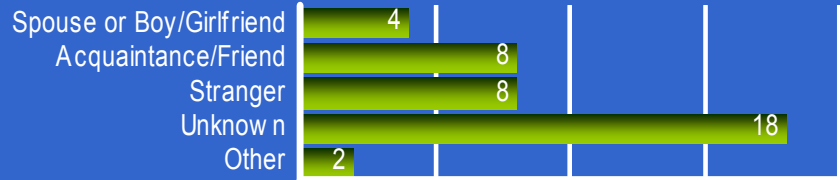
VICTIMS BY AGE GROUPS

	(-)17	18-29	30-44	45-49	50-59	60(+)
Homicide	5	16	14	3	1	1
Rape	72	49	11	4	4	3
Person Robbery	50	185	137	46	48	41
Assault *	161	548	399	108	65	37
Residential Burglary	0	756	791	210	277	312
Thefts (non-business)	148	2,295	1,818	456	821	814
Auto Theft	9	410	379	138	211	167
Total	445	4,259	3,549	965	1,427	1,375
Violent Crime	288	798	561	161	118	82
Property Crime	157	3,461	2,988	804	1,309	1,293

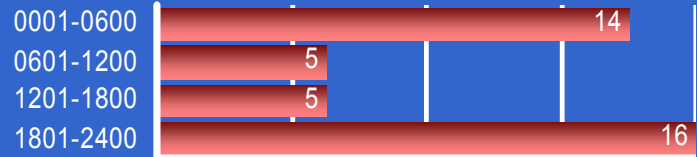
* Aggravated Assault and Aggravated Battery

HOMICIDES

BY RELATIONSHIP OF VICTIM TO OFFENDER



BY TIME OF DAY (24 HOUR CLOCK)



BY WEAPON USED



SELECTED CRIMINAL OFFENSES BY DISTRICT

- #1 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive area
- #2 Freestate, Cherokee Park, North Highlands
- #3 Allendale, Lakeside
- #4 Queensborough
- #5 Highland, Stoner Hill
- #6 Broadmoor, Anderson Island, Shreve Island, Shreve City
- #7 Caddo Heights, South Highland
- #8 Springlake, University Terrace, Broadmoor Terrace, South Broadmoor
- #9 Cedar Grove, Lynbrook

- #10 Sunset Acres, Garden Valley, Morningside
- #11 Mooretown and Hollywood Heights
- #12 Country Club Hills, Lakeshore Shopping
- #13 Western Hills and Yarbrough Subdivisions
- #14 Airport, Pines Road, area south of I-20
- #15 Jenkins Subdivision, Pinecroft Subdivision, Southern Hills west of Mansfield Road
- #16 Hyde Park, Brookwood, Southern Hills east of Mansfield Road
- #17 Ellerbe Woods
- #18 Downtown & Riverfront

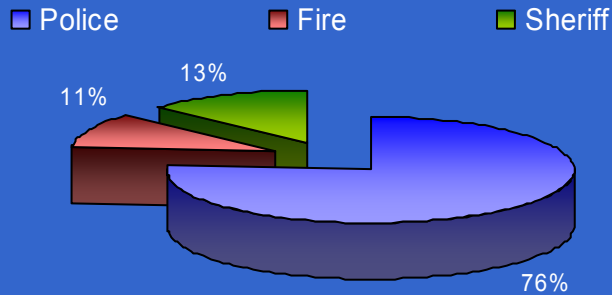
	Districts																		Total
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	#7	#8	#9	#10	#11	#12	#13	#14	#15	#16	#17	#18	
Homicide	5	2	6	6	3	0	0	0	5	3	3	3	0	1	1	1	0	1	40
Rape	8	7	14	10	19	4	5	12	20	12	9	1	4	7	3	4	0	4	143
Person Robbery	11	23	49	59	68	10	25	24	63	41	27	20	8	9	15	8	2	45	507
Bus. Robbery	2	12	3	18	17	14	10	16	19	12	4	17	6	13	12	6	1	1	183
Aggravated Battery	65	26	93	83	95	20	48	24	114	62	60	32	7	17	15	17	0	23	801
Aggravated Assault	37	15	41	52	55	14	35	17	71	52	40	27	9	17	15	16	2	2	517
Residential Burglary	122	92	241	200	255	86	201	96	324	242	69	84	81	61	75	87	14	6	2,336
Business Burglary	28	49	50	57	70	40	53	112	175	68	28	43	19	50	39	43	22	17	963
Purse Snatching	0	3	6	2	11	3	7	4	2	4	0	2	1	3	1	4	0	8	61
Shoplifting	16	64	4	233	127	149	162	270	179	240	11	105	22	363	287	83	1	6	2,322
Theft from Business	7	39	12	26	59	25	15	53	64	26	20	23	12	39	38	18	9	35	520
Theft from Resident	52	30	54	77	118	65	80	77	104	66	33	39	27	33	44	57	16	1	973
Auto Accessory Theft	23	22	22	38	39	22	26	31	40	28	23	17	7	26	20	24	4	13	425
Theft from Auto	85	64	132	146	207	173	150	295	190	143	79	103	68	124	158	148	46	200	2,511
Theft General	100	131	142	216	312	182	196	286	246	219	117	134	79	160	175	162	38	161	3,056
Auto Theft	42	63	86	149	122	55	92	128	139	109	63	81	28	63	68	58	6	86	1,438
Total	603	642	955	1,372	1,577	862	1,105	1,445	1,755	1,327	586	731	378	986	966	736	161	609	16,796
Violent Crime	128	85	206	228	257	62	123	93	292	182	143	100	34	64	61	52	5	76	2,191
Property Crime	475	557	749	1,144	1,320	800	982	1,352	1,463	1,145	443	631	344	922	905	684	156	533	14,605

COMMUNICATIONS

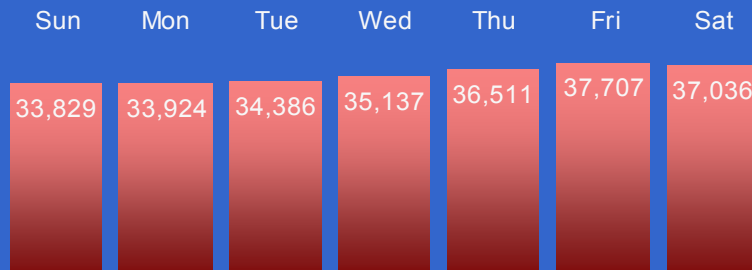


The Joint Communications Center serves the Caddo Sheriff's Office, Shreveport Police Department and Shreveport Fire Department

CAD EVENTS BY 911 AGENCIES

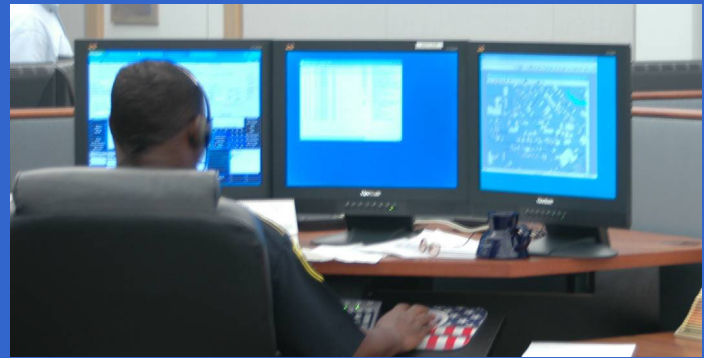
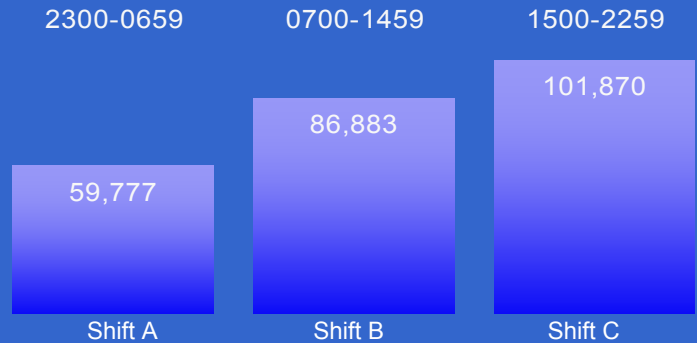


CALLS FOR SERVICE BY DAY OF WEEK



CALLS FOR SERVICE BY SHIFT

(24 Hour Clock)



Shreveport Police Communications Officers responded to 248,530 calls for service in 2004

MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

Call Transfers by Voice Recognition System	155,472
Calls Received via 911	100,981
CAD Events Recorded	248,530
CAD Events Monthly Average	20,711

CALLS FOR SERVICE ♦ ACTIVITY BY SIGNAL TYPE

911 Hang-Up	7928	Disorderly Person	8942	Loud Music	4554	Silent Alarm	21461
Abandoned Vehicle	2396	Disturbance	6865	Major Accident	1992	Simple Robbery	202
Animal Complaint	875	Domestic Trouble	1371	Major Hit & Run	100	Special Assignment	4082
Armed Robbery	511	Drug Activity	1450	Minor Accident	11540	Speeding	245
Armed Suspect	1513	Drunk	419	Minor Hit & Run	2510	Stabbing	242
Assist Motorist	6311	EMS Call	1592	Missing Child	557	Stalking	59
Assist Officer	624	Escort	219	Missing Person Adult	511	Suicide	17
Audible Alarm	778	Execute Warrant	1730	Motorcycle Complaint	284	Suspicious Activity	13570
Auto Theft	3089	Explosion	1	Neighborhood Traffic Ck.	1222	Tactical Patrol	11478
Broken Main/Pipe	65	Fight	2360	Parking Complaint	1679	Theft	10247
Burglary	3904	Fire	1091	Periodic Check	4670	Traffic Complaint	1635
C&R Driver	1062	Follow-up Investigation	1128	Physical Assault	5668	Traffic Stop	21050
CCAR Investigation	357	Foot/Bike Patrol	316	Prowler	198	Train Derailment	3
Commitment Order	384	Gang Activity	1	Purse Snatching	68	Transport	2160
Contact-Business	13582	Hazmat	28	Render Aide	123	Unknown Trouble	1304
Contact-Citizen	1782	Holdup Alarm	759	Reserved for Future Use	768	Utility Line Down	178
Contact-Meeting	204	Illegal Dumping	48	Road Hazard	1420	Vandalism	3631
Contact-School	67	Indecent Exposure	214	See Complainant	21963	Vehicle Burglary	2743
Crime Scene Investigation	899	Juvenile Complaint	5591	Sexual Assault	466	Welfare Concern	5263
D.U.I.	224	Kidnapping	31	Shooting	342	Welfare Check	170
Deceased Person	162	Loitering/Trespassing	3156	Shoplifting	985		
Deliver Message	202	Loose Livestock	35	Shots Fired	2904	Total Calls	248,530

TRAFFIC



50,950 traffic citations were issued in 2004

TRAFFIC CITATIONS

Careless Operation	653
Child Restraint	467
DWI	1,088
Fail to Yield	428
Following too Close	215
Hit & Run	185
Improper Passing	83
Insurance	3,214
Loud Music	1,335
Negligent Injury	14
No/Expired Driver License	3,292
No Headlights	271
No Taillights	114
Open Container	89
Red Light	2,550
Registration	1,270
School Zone Violation	797
Seat Belts	9,299
Speeding	9,739
Stickers/Tags	2,693
Stop Sign	558
Suspended Driver License	1,865
Other Charges	10,731
Total Citations	50,950

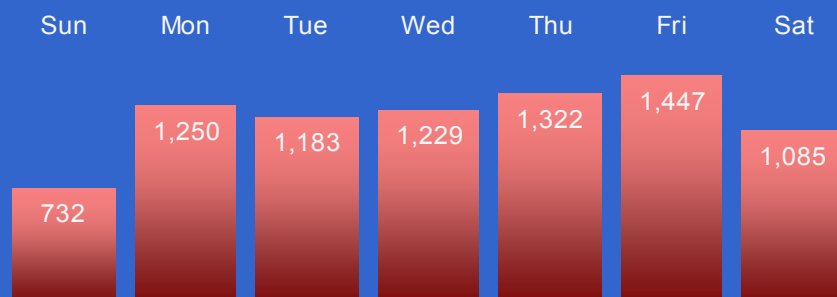
Officers responded to 8,248 accidents in 2004



ACCIDENT STATISTICS

	2003	2004	% Change
Total Accidents	8,220	8,248	0%
Total Injury Accidents	2,371	2,375	0%
Fatal Accidents	16	19	19%
Serious Injury Accidents	94	80	-15%
Minor Visible Injury Accidents	2,261	2,285	1%
Property Damaged Only Accidents	5,849	5,873	0%
Total Injured	3,690	3,892	5%
Fatalities	19	21	11%
Serious Injuries	121	98	-19%
Minor Visible Injuries	3,550	3,784	7%
A.M. Accidents	2,469	2,548	3%
P.M. Accidents	5,753	5,700	-1%
Intersection Accidents	6,329	6,333	0%
Non-Intersection Accidents	1,891	1,915	13%
Total Drivers	16,681	16,680	0%
Male Drivers	7,912	7,799	-1%
Female Drivers	8,769	8,881	1%
Pedestrian Injuries	61	60	-2%
Pedestrian Deaths	8	3	-64%

ACCIDENTS BY DAY OF WEEK



An accident is classified as an intersection related accident if it occurred in the intersection or within 100 feet from the intersection.

TOP 10 INTERSECTION AND NON-INTERSECTIONS FOR ACCIDENTS

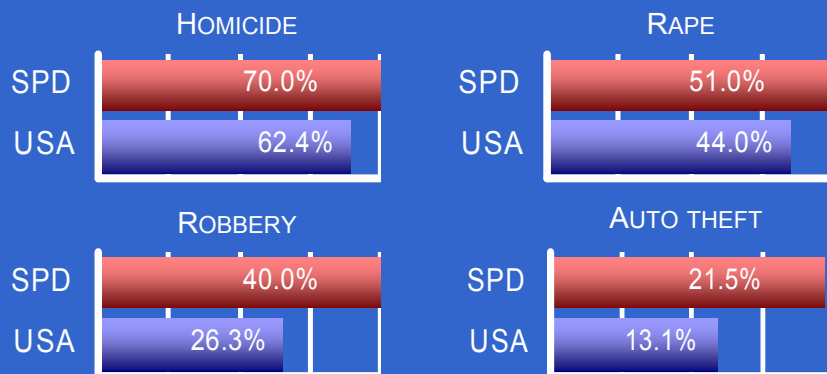
Intersection Accidents		Non-Intersection Accidents	
Lake & Spring	79	Bert Kouns	142
Bert Kouns & Youree	63	Kings	116
Bert Kouns & Mansfield	52	Youree	105
Gator & Youree	39	70th	69
Bert Kouns & Linwood	37	Jewella	52
Bert Kouns & Walker	34	Market	48
Lake & Market	31	Line	40
Youree & 70th	30	Linwood	35
Bert Kouns & Kingston	29	Mansfield	34
Market & Nelson	29	Hollywood	29

ARREST, SEIZURES & CLEARANCES



The new City Jail , opened in October 2004 , houses up to 250 Prisoners.

CLEARANCE RATES



OFFICE OF SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS

ARRESTS/CITATIONS

Felony Arrests	684
Misdemeanor Arrests	391
Prostitution/Solicitation Arrests	51
Underage Alcohol Violations	85

SEIZURES

Weapons	231
Narcotics	143
Vehicles	45
Money	\$237,359
Cocaine (Grams)	15,066
Cocaine (Street Value)	\$1,506,610
Marijuana (Grams)	174,452
Marijuana (Street Value)	\$1,744,524
Methamphetamine (Grams)	2,756
Methamphetamine (Street Value)	\$335,884
Other Drugs (Grams)	14,887
Other Drugs (Street Value)	\$299,571

USA rates obtained from the latest information available from the FBI.

ARREST REPORT

BY RACE

	W	B	O
Homicide	5	40	1
Rape	4	7	0
Robbery	22	100	0
Assault *	57	340	2
Burglary	71	252	0
Theft	378	948	10
Auto Theft	9	76	0
Part I Crimes	546	1,763	13

Other Assault	333	1313	20
Forgery	10	18	1
Fraud	6	25	0
Stolen Property	22	86	2
Vandalism	65	176	4
Weapons	22	155	1
Prostitution	5	0	0
Sex Offenses	12	32	0
Narcotics	289	832	7
Gambling	12	8	2
D.W.I.	716	343	29
Liquor Laws	152	95	12
Drunk	4	2	0
Disturbing Peace	108	773	7
Other Offenses	563	2,175	16
Part II Crimes	2,319	6,033	101
Grand Total	2,865	7,796	114

BY SEX

	F	M
Homicide	8	38
Rape	0	11
Robbery	6	116
Assault *	114	285
Burglary	33	290
Theft	433	903
Auto Theft	6	79
Part I Crimes	600	1,722

Other Assault	511	1155
Forgery	9	20
Fraud	14	17
Stolen Property	12	98
Vandalism	74	171
Weapons	19	159
Prostitution	4	1
Sex Offenses	7	37
Narcotics	209	919
Gambling	4	18
D.W.I.	225	863
Liquor Laws	77	182
Drunk	2	4
Disturbing Peace	385	503
Other Offenses	527	2,227
Part II Crimes	2,079	6,374
Grand Total	2,679	8,096

BY AGE

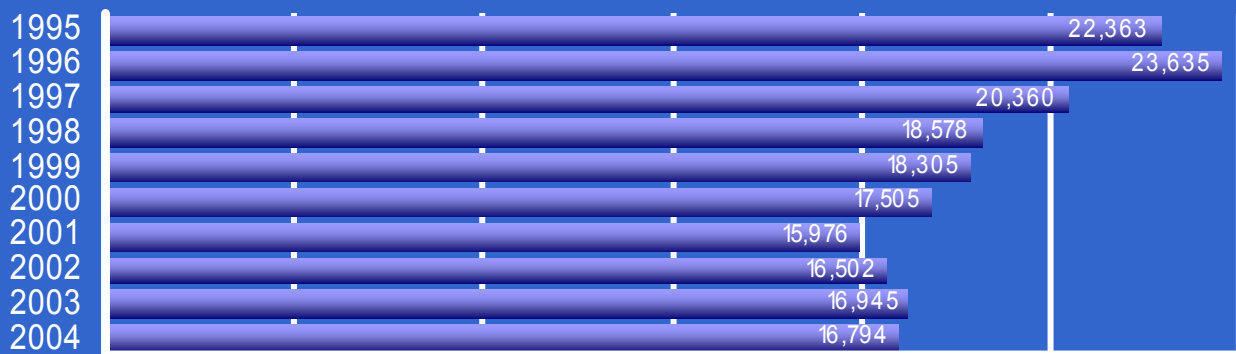
	(-)18	18-29	30-44	45(+)	Total
Homicide	5	22	15	4	46
Rape	3	5	1	2	11
Robbery	28	60	26	8	122
Assault *	90	161	101	47	399
Burglary	130	116	62	15	323
Theft	373	443	340	180	1,336
Auto Theft	41	25	15	4	85
Part I Crimes	670	832	560	260	2,322

Other Assault	350	624	439	199	1,666
Forgery	0	17	8	4	29
Fraud	1	19	10	1	31
Stolen Property	18	62	23	7	110
Vandalism	84	110	36	15	245
Weapons	45	82	36	15	178
Prostitution	0	3	2	0	5
Sex Offenses	8	17	14	5	44
Narcotics	90	620	279	139	1,128
Gambling	2	19	1	0	22
D.W.I.	11	449	367	261	1,088
Liquor Laws	42	137	45	35	259
Drunk	0	2	1	3	6
Disturbing	473	247	111	57	888
Other Offenses	420	1,196	781	357	2,754
Part II Crimes	1,544	3,604	2,207	1,098	8,453
Grand Total	2,214	4,436	2,767	1,358	10,775

* Aggravated Assault and Aggravated Battery

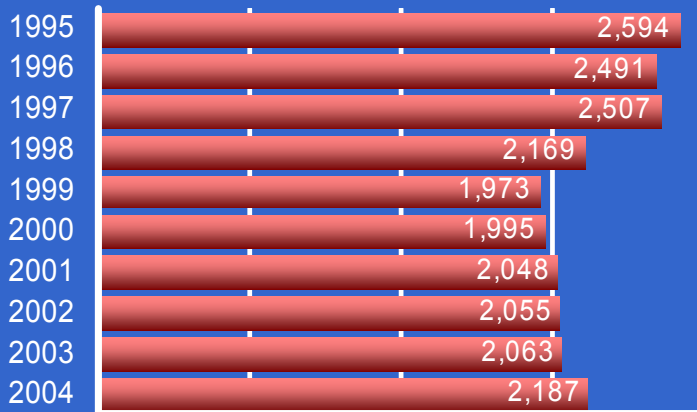
TRENDS AND COMPARISONS

PART I CRIME INDEX

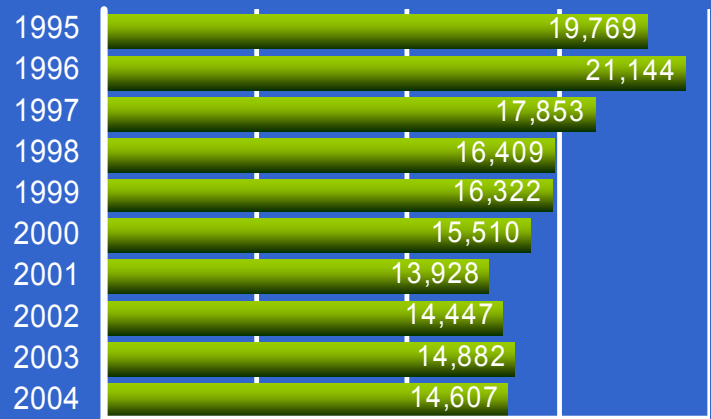


The Shreveport Police Department classifies and reports its criminal statistics according to UCR guidelines. The uniform Crime Report program is administered by the FBI and gauges crime fluctuation nationwide. Over 16,000 agencies participate in this program. To keep the data consistent throughout these agencies, UCR sets up guidelines for classifying and submitting data. This enables the different agencies to compare each other and to rank areas according to their crime. This program also designated seven offenses as an index to measure crime and group these offenses under Part I Crime. These offenses are violent crimes and prevalent property crimes. These indexes are used by most agencies to measure their fluctuation in crime.

VIOLENT CRIME INDEX



PROPERTY CRIME INDEX



PART I CRIMES TEN YEAR COMPARISON

	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Homicide	62	60	43	37	36	56	36	44	49	40
Rape	112	133	148	129	116	113	117	119	106	135
Robbery	777	727	640	543	508	594	586	673	691	692
Assault*	1,643	1,571	1,676	1,460	1,313	1,232	1,309	1,219	1,217	1,320
Burglary	3,787	4,169	4,003	3,892	3,722	3,311	3,453	3,417	3,568	3,296
Theft	14,660	15,451	11,549	11,417	11,567	11,180	9,330	9,389	9,748	9,864
Auto Thefts	1,322	1,524	1,301	1,100	1,043	1,019	1,145	1,641	1,566	1,447
Total	22,363	23,635	20,360	18,578	18,305	17,505	15,976	16,502	16,945	16,794

2004-2003 CHANGE

	% Change
Homicide	-18%
Rape	27%
Robbery	0%
Assault*	8%
Burglary	-8%
Theft	1%
Auto Thefts	-8%
Total	-1%

* Aggravated Assault and Aggravated Battery

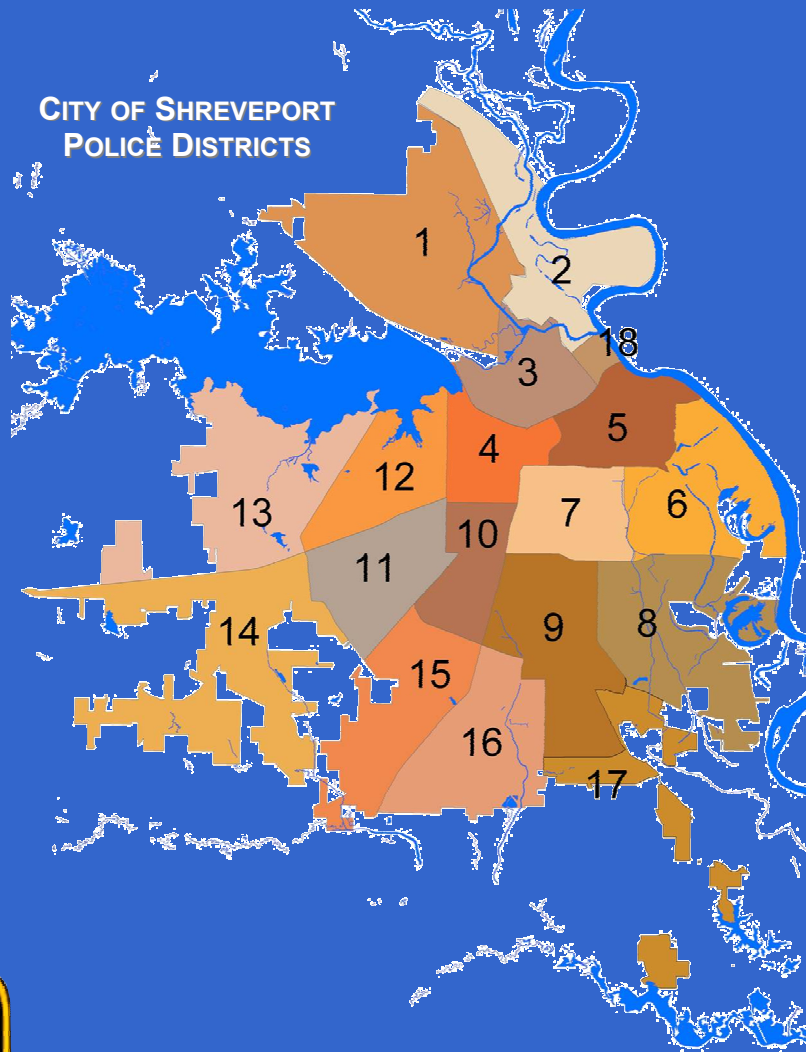


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